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- 1. Response including cover page (1 page) and Remarks (1 page)
- 2. Terminal Disclaimer to Obvia: e a Provisional Double Patenting Rejection Over a Pending Second Application (1 page)
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This Response is in reply to the outstanding Office Action mailed January 26, 2005. A terminal disclaimer is included with this Response and fee paid for. In the event that the amount submitted herewith is incorrect, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any over paymen: to our Deposit Account 06-0029 and is requested to notify us of the same.

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